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In re: Middeldorp et al. Serial No.: 10/036,729 Filed: December 21, 2001

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of (2) month(s) to respond to 1. the Office Action dated August 24, 2006. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested: is filed herewith. A has been filed. 3. Applicant: Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Does not claim small entity status. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)): 4. Total Months Fec For Other Fee for Requested Than Small Entity Small Entity one month \$120.00 \$60.00 two months \$450.00 \$225.00 three months \$1,020.00 \$510.00 four months \$1,590.00 \$795.00

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RECEIVED Attorney Docket No. 9310-13DVCTDV CENTRAL FAX CENTER Application No.: 10/036,729 Filed: December 21, 2001 -mi 2 4 2007 Page 2 A check in the amount of .00 is enclosed. Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed. X Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 in the amount of \$1,240.00 (\$450.00 as the fee for a two-month extension of time and \$790.00 as fee for an RCE). This amount is believed to be correct. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0220. Respectfully submitted, Mary L. Miller Registration No. 39,303 Myers Bigel Sibley & Sajovec, P.A. P. O. Box 37428 Raleigh, North Carolina 27627 Telephone: (919) 854-1400 Facsimile: (919) 854-1401 Customer Number 20792 CERTIFICATION OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION **UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8** I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office via the central facsimile number 571-273-8300 on January 24, 2007 and is addressed to Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Tracy Wallace